

Chapter 9: External Relations

VistA Software Requirements

The Capacity Management Tools software relies on the following VistA software to run effectively (listed alphabetically):

Software	Version	Patch Information
Computerized Patient Record System (CPRS) GUI	23.0	Fully patched.
Order Entry/Results Reporting (OE/RR)	3.0	The CM Tools software loads without CPRS GUI V. 23 and OE/RR V. 3.0; however, in order to start collecting timing data and enable the data collection and report-related CM Tools software options, Patch OR*3.0*209 must also be installed.
Health Level Seven (HL7)	1.6	Fully patched. This version of Capacity Management Tools software loads without VistA Health Level Seven (HL7) Patch HL*1.6*79; however, in order to start collecting HL7 statistics, HL7 Patch #79 must also be installed.
Kernel	8.0	Fully patched.
Kernel Toolkit	7.3	Fully patched.
MailMan	8.0	Fully patched.
VA FileMan	22.0	Fully patched.

Table 9-1: External Relations—VistA software

This version of Capacity Management Tools software utilizes a VistA Health Level Seven (HL7) HLUCM routine that contains a specific API call for the Capacity Planning (CP) Services software developers. The HLUCM routine contains code that enables use of the \$\$CM API call to obtain HL7 usage information. The Health Level Seven HLUCM routine was introduced with the issuance of Health Level Seven Patch HL*1.6*79.

Also, this software depends on the installation of the Computerized Patient Record System (CPRS) in order to run the data collection and report-related CM Tools software options.

DBA Approvals and Database Integration Agreements

The Database Administrator (DBA) maintains a list of Integration Agreements (IAs) or mutual agreements between software developers allowing the use of internal entry points or other software-specific features that are not available to the general programming public.

This version of Capacity Management Tools software is *not* dependent on any agreements.